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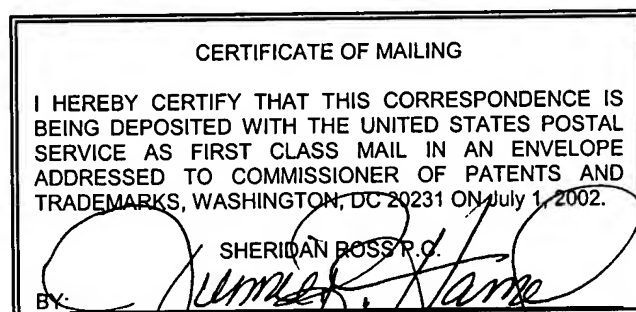
For: "METHODS FOR EVALUATING THE
ABILITY TO METABOLIZE
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) Group Art Unit: 1634

) Examiner: Not yet assigned

) PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.47(a) and
) REQUEST FOR STATUS UNDER 37
) C.F.R. 1.42



Dear Sir:

Applicants petition for filing when an inventor refuses to sign, under 37 C.F.R. § 1.47(a), in compliance with MPEP § 409.03(a), when joint inventors are available. The following documents are being submitted:

A declaration of in Support of Petition Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.47(a) (with exhibits attached); and

A copy of the Declarations made by co-inventors Hall, Petros, Vredenburg, Colvin and Marks on behalf of the nonsigning inventor;

A check in the amount of \$130.00 for the Petition filing fee.

Respectfully submitted,
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